

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Gealy et al.

Serial No. 09/770,699 : CAPACITOR HAVING AN ELECTRODE

: FORMED FROM A TRANSITION METAL

Filed: January 26, 2001 : OR CONDUCTIVE METAL-OXIDE, AND

METHOD OF FORMING SAME

Group Art Unit: 2822

Examiner: Michael Trinh

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TO ACCOMPANY A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

February 2, 2004

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 26, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants respond as follows, wherein:

Claim Amendments begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 7.